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NOTIOE.

THE Sixth Annual MEETING of the HONGKONG & SOUTH CHINA MASONIO BENEVOLENCE FUND CORPORATION will be held at Masoure HALL on WEDNESDAY, the 29th Inst., at 3.30 p.m.

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the General Managers, and to elect a Con-sulting Committee and Additors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 27th Proxime, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co..

General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. Hongkong, January 27, 1896. THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Ordinary General MEETING of BANKING CORPORATION. COMPANY'S OFFICES, Victoria Buildings, on THURSDAY, the 30th January, 1896, at 12 o'Clock (Neon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the Twelve Months ending the 31st Decem-

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company 221 will be OLOSED from SATURDAY, the 25th January, to THURSDAY, the 30th January, 1896, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be Registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd.;
Agents for the Kowloon Land and

requiring DRESSES for the MASONIO Building Co., Ltd. BALL, Feb. 17th, or Costumes for the RACES, that all Hongkong, January 16, 1898. Orders should be placed early, owing to the CHINESE NEW YEAR THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND

MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED AND REDUCED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Fifty-Ninth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHULDERS in the Company will be held at the Orrion of the Company, No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, on FRIDAY, the 31st Instant, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of AMERICAN BUTTER in Rolls and Pats. Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 18th to 61a Instant, inclusive, By Order of the Board of Directors,

T. ARNOLD. Honglong, January 13, 1896.

JURY LIST, 1896.

TOTIOE is hereby given that Pursuant to the Provisions of Section 8 of The Furt Consolidation Ordinante No. 18 of 1887, I have on the 23rd Instant caused to be posted, at the CHIEF ENTRANCE to the COURT HOUSE, & LIST OF ALL PERSONS ascertained by me to be liable to serve as

The said Ent will Remain so posted until the 5rm Pagamo, in Order that any Person may apply by Notice in writing to me requiring that his Name or the Name of some other Person may be respectively either added to or strock off from the said List upon cause to be duly assigned in such FF HE Fifteenth Ordinary Anenal MEET.

Acting Registrar. REGISTRY, SUPREME COURT.

Hougkong, 28rd January, 1896.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

ATOTIOE is hereby given that the Seventl Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will

be held at the Company's Crylons, Viotoris Buildings, on MONDAY, the 3rd Pebruary, 1898, at 19 o'dlock (Noon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending Blat D. comber, 1896.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be OLOSED from MONDAY, the 27th January, to MUNDAY, the fird February, 1896 (both days inches ve), during which period no Transfer of Sharps and be French

By Order of the Bullet "Directors, A WILLION HOOPER, Mille ary to the Hungsong Land In-Vestment and Agency Co., Ld., General Agence for the West Point Bulding Ca. Ld.

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TNHORMATION has been Received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that. ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place 203 from the 1sr to 29TH FEBRUARY, 1898, (SUNDAYS excepted), between the hours of 8 s.m. and 5 p.m. DAILY, as follows :--From Stone-cutters' Island in Westerly

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All Sairs, Junks and other Vesskis are CAUTIONED to keep clear of the Ranges. The inhabitants of the Houses near Beishers, Rowloon Dock and East, and at Stone-cutters' Island are warned to keep their glass windows open during the practice, and all people working in the vicinity of Belchers' Batteries are also warned to keep clear of that part which will be indicated by gunners placed on sentry for

By Command, J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Cotonial Secretary.

COLONIAL BECESTARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 18th January, 1896.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

ATOTICE is hereby given that the Urdinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHARRHOLDERS in this Corrowarion will be held at the Crev Hazz, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 15th day of February next, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Roport of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to Stat December, 1895.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON.

Hongkong, January 27, 1896.

VOTICE is hereby given that the CORPORATION WILL be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 1st to the 15th day of February next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares

can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager. Hougkong, January 27, 1896.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Twenty-Seventh Ordinary MEET. ING OF SHAREHOLDERS In the Company will be held at the Company's Orrion, No. -8, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the Toth February, at Twelve o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Director for the year ending 31st December, 1895.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from the 5th to the 19 h Idem, but days inclusive. By Order,

Acting Scoretary. Hongkong, January 27, 1890, ADDRESS AND TESTIMONIAL TO

DR. CANTERE UBSURIPTIONS bot to exceed \$5 are invited for the purpose of Present some suitable TESTIMONIAL to The

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C. MURRAY ADAMSON. Hon. Secretary de Treasurer. Hongkong, January 22, 1896.

HONGKONG TOE COMPANY, LIMITED

ING of SHARRHOLDERS will be held at the Orrises of the Company, Pedder's Street, at Noon, on WEBNESDAY, 6th February, to receive a Statement of the 182 | Company's Accounts to the 31st December, 895, and the Report of the General

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th Instant to the 5th Proximo, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers Hoogkong, January 29, 1895;

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Hongkong, January 27, 1896.

## Notices of Firms.

TOTICE is hereby given that Mr. ALFRED F. O. KRAUSS. Mr. PHILLIP BERNARD SCHMACKER RETIRED from our Firm on the 31st December, 1895, and that

SACHSE. Mr. CHARLES ERNEST RAYNER, Mr. GUSTAV ADOLPH DEGENER

BÖNING, have To-day been ADMITTED PARTNERS. CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, Hamburg, 1st January, 1896.

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY. MESSES. ARNHOLD, KARBERG &. Co. have This Day been appointed. SUB-AGENTS of the above Company.

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Hongkong, January 28, 1806.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. BATHURST, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 30th Instant, at

Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

General Managers. Hongkong, January 28, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY

LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Captain BLACKBURN wil. be despatched

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Hongkong, January 28, 1816 CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

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Captain Paius, will be despatched on THURS. DAY, the 30th Instant, at 8 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE** 

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The Steamahip Captain Sommerville will be despatched of SUNDAY, the 2nd Proxime. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

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Shanghai	Singan (s)	Butterfield & Swire	Jan. 30, at 3 p.:
Shanghai	Lyeemoon (s)	Siemason & Co	Jan. 30, at 4 p.
Shanghai	Daphne (a)	Siemssen & Co	Feb. 1, at 4 p.n
Shanghai	Mirzapore (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co	About Feb. 10.
S'pra H'yre B'men &c.	Dorothea Rickmera (a	Arnhold, Karberg&Co.	February.
S'pore, Havre & H'burg	Thekla (1)	Siemssen & Co	Feb. 5. at noon
S'pore, Penang & O'tta		D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.	
S'pore, S'rang & S'baya		Jardine Matheson&Oc	
Straits and Bombay	11	P. & O. S. N. Oo	
Swatow, Amoy & T'loo		Douglas Lapraik & Co.	
Swatow and Chanchai	Hannehow (a)	Butterfield & Swire	
Swatow and Shanghai.	Wateria /m	Nor. P'fic S. & R. Con	
Laudilla. Wilanian	7   U. C.	STATES E WAYN OF YM ACH	1- AM WAN

Vancouver (B.O ). & Empress of India (s) ... Uanadian P'fic R. Co. Feb. 19, at noon.

Yokohama and Kobe. Bellona (s) ...... Siemssen & Co...... Jan. 29, at 4 p.m.

Victoria (B.C.), &c.... Mount L banon (s).... Shewan & Co.......... February 12.

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## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. January 27: -

+ Pitciola, German steamer, 762, E. Hass, Saigon January 22, Rice. MELCHERS &

Fooksang, British steamer, 991, R. An. | For SWATOW .derson, Wuhu and Chinking January 23, General - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

January 28 :-Peshawur, British str., 2,327, F. Cole, Shaughai January 25, Mails and General. -P. & O. S. N. Co. Adores, British str., 1,347, D. Owens,

Baigon January 22, Rice.—Siemssen & Co. Thales, British str., 820, H. Bithurst, 222 Taiwanfoo January 24, Amoy 25, and Swatow 27. General .- Douglas STRAMSHIP Co. Airlie. British steamer, 2,340, Bydney January 4. Townsville and Cairne 9, Onaktown 10, Thursday Island 13, and Port Darwin 18, General. - GIBB, LIVING

> BION & CO. Empress of India, British steamer, 3,003, Henry Pybus, Vancouver, B.O., Jahuary B. Mails and General. -C. P. R. Co. Wing Hong, British steamer, 217, C. B.

Maddox, Swatow January 27, General --CHI Wo & Ca. Kansu, B itish steamer, 1,158, A. Som-

merville, Chinking January 23, General, -BUTTERF ELD & SWIRE, Argyll, Britis's steamer, 1,886," Www. S. Dungan, Kutchine za Jan. 23, Coal .- Dop-

WELL, CARLILL & Co. Kwang Lee, Chinese steamer, 1,505, R. O. Lincoto, Shanghai January 25, General .--O. M. B. N. Co.

DEPARTURES January 28 1-

Decima, for Canton. Smith, for Shanghai, Casa, for Shanghai, Hailoong, for Swatow, Falladon Hall, for Singapore. Fooksung, for Canton. Kansu, for Canton, Kwang Lee, for Canton.

CLEARED. Yung-ping, for Shanghai. Phra Chom Kinb, for Swatow. Michael Jebsen, for Touron.

### PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Fooksang, from Wuhn, I Chinese. Per Pesharour, from Shanghai : for Hongkong. Mr Pluce and native servant, Miss R. Place and servant, Mr.D. Souter and servant, Mr Tong Chew an and servant, Mr & Chinese, and I child : for London Mr and Mrs Colin M. Ford, and maid (Miss Lennox), Mr and Mrs Tomkinson and 3 children, Miss Thirgood, and Mr C. Cham-

Per Thales, from Coast Ports, 77 Chinese, Per Airlie, from Sydney, &c., Misses Thorp, Tunnicliffe and Lawrence, Messra Thorp, Hayes and Mallock ; from Thursday Island, 4 Japanese; from Australian Ports and New Zealand, 95 Chinese. Per Empress of India, from Vancouver,

&c., Mr and Mrs R. Scott, Mr J. G. Gib. son, Lieut. H. Lamb, Mesars S. Shimigu, Andrews F. W. Hammond, R.N., S. Komer, F. M. Stein, L. D. Stein, A. H. Rennie, Mrs Kusakabe, Mr and Mrs Dangerfield, Mesers T. Yetsui, C. P. Karberg, G. M. H. Playfair, M. Stempel, 4 Intermediate, and 108 Steerage. Per Kanet, from Chinking, 17 Chinese, Per Kwang Lee, from Shangbai, Miss Diroks, Mr Feir, and 98 Chineso.

DEPARTED. Per Hailoong, for Swatow, 1 European, Per Fallodon Hall, for Singapore, 8

To DEPART. Per Michael Jebsen, for Touron, 18 Ohi-

### BHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Fooksang reports Had light variable winds, fine weather and smooth sea to Breaker Point; and thence to Chelang Point, fog and rain; thence to port, fine, clear weather.

The British steamer Adous reports: Had strong to moderate head winds to 14" N.; thence variable winds to port. The British steamer Thales reports : Had Chingtu,
Captain R. Innes, will be January 25th, steamers in Amoy: Tacoma,
despatched as above on Tamsui, Rio, Wosang, German men-of-war
Deigness Wilhelm. Iltis and Cormoran. Or

January 27th, steamers in Swatow: Loo Sok, The British steamer Airlie reports : On January 4th, cleared Sydney Heads at 2 p.m.; left Townsville and Cairns on 9th Refrigerating Chamber ensures the Cooktown on 10th; Thursday Island on supply of Fresh Provisions during the 13th; Port Darwin on 18th; passed Cabra entire voyage. A duly-qualified Surgeon is |-on 25th; arrived at Hongkong at 0.50 a.m. rate to light Easterly winds and fine weather to Thursday Island; and strong N.W'ly winds, with hard squalls and rain to Port Darwin; moderate to light winds, variable winds and fine weather, with smooth sea to 215 Basilen Straits; and fresh to strong monsoon, with head sea to Cabra; and thence to Hongkong, light winds and smooth sea. The Chinese steamer Kwang Lee reports: Had light variable winds and dull weather

### monsoon, with dull gloomy weather. POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

Per Wing Hong, at 8.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 29th inst. For BANGKOK .-

Per Taichiow, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 29th in t. For SWATOW & SHANGHAL .-Per Hangchow, at 2.30 p.m., on Wednes-"day, the 29th inst.

For YOKOHAMA & KOBE .-Per Bellona, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 29th just. For MANILA. --Per Yuensang, at 4.80 p.m., on Wednes-

day, the 29th inst. For HOIHOW & HAIPHONG.— Per Ask, at o p.m., on Wednesday, the 29th inst., instead of as previously

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO. Per Thules, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 29 h inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOODHOW, -Per Cosmopolit, at 7.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 30th last. For HOIH AW, SINGAPORE & BANG.

Por Keong week, at 8.30 a.m., on Thursday the 80th inst.

For Australian Ports, -Per Menmuir, at 9.30 a.m., on Thursday the 30th inst., instead of as previously notified. For BINGAPORE, SAMARANG & SOU

RABAYA.-Per Hindang, at 8.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 30th inst. For SWATOW & BHANGHAL -

Per Taisang, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday the 30th inst. For SHANGHAL .-

Por Lyermoon, at 8.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 30th inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Verona, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 31st inst.

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL. Per Lightning, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday, the lat February. For SHANGHAL .-

Per Dapline, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the lat February. For SINGAPORE. Per Thekla, at 10.30 a.m., on Wednesday,

the 5th February. For SINGAPORE .-Per Glenesk, at 3.50 p.m., on Wednesday the 5th February.

For SHANGHAL KOBE, YOKOBAMA VICTORIA, B.C., AND TACOMA (WASH.)-Per Victoria, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 11th February.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET, the British Contract Packet Peshawur will bo-despatched on THURSDAY, the 30th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyoud, vid Brindiss; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mall Packet Belgie will be despatched on SATURDAY, the lat to be genuine when bought direct from a Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulli, Paru, do, which will be plosed as follows :---

The usual hours will be observed in closing

11 A.t. Registry centes. Por Phra Chom Klay, for Swatow, 50 | 11.30 a.M. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be praised on board the Packet, with Luis Fee of 10 cents extra Portage until the time of departures

### MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. 8b pping.

3 p.m. - Hangchow leaves for B'tow, &c. 4 p.m.—Bellona leaves for Y'hams, &c. 5 p.m .- Tuensang leaves for Manila.

Meetings. 5.30 p.m .- Meeting of Hongkong and

South China Masonic Benevelence Fund Corporation. . .

Miscellaneous. Goods per Eton undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Lightning undelivered after this date landed.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, January 30 :--Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Kowloon Land & Building Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office.

3 p.m.—Auction of Leasehold Property. at 'Wellburn,' Mount Kellett Road,

FRIDAY, January 31 :--Noon,-Mouting of Shareholde s of The Hongkong, Canton & Maoao Steamboat Co., Ltd., and Reduced, at the Company's Office. 5.30 p.m. - Convocation of Cathay Chap-

SATURDAY, February 1 :-3 p.m. -Auction for Letting Government Land in Lots Nos. I to 18 actioining the Race Course, North of the Grand Stand Enclosure.

this data subject to rent. Register of Shares of The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, closed from this date to the 15th Inst., inclu-

9 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge. MONDAY, February 3:-Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The 3 West Point Building Co., Ltd., at the

Company's Offices. WEDNESDAY, February 5 :--Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Ice Co., Ltd., at the Com- The O and O. s.s. Afride, with mails, &co., pany's Offices. Transfer Books of The China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., closed from this date

to the 19th Inst., inclusive.

SATURDAY, February 8 :---

SATURDAY, February 15 :-

poration, at the City Hall.

9 p.m.—A. D. C. Performance at City FRIDAY, February 14:-Transfer Books of The Hongkong Fire The D. D. R. s.s. Oceana, from Hamburg. Insurance Co., Ltd., closed from this date to the 27th Instant, inclusive.

Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Cor-

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BIRTHS. At Bowrington, on the 26th Inst., the Wife of A. G. Gondon, of a Daughter. On 22nd Instant, at 12, Miliar Road, Shanghal, the Wife of F. KLEFFEL, of a

MARRIAGE. On the 17th Instant, at Christ Church, Yokohama, by the Rev. E. Champneys 5.30 p.m. -- Meeting of Victoria Precep- frwine, M.A., JOHN KENNEDY TRAFFORD to MAUD MARY WATSON.

DEATHS. On the 20th Instant, at Naguaki, of Polymyositis, Vicenta Vincinio, the beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. de Souza, aged 3 years. At the General Hospital, Shanghal, on the 22nd January, HCBATIO C. W. COURT,

son of Major-General Court, aged 33 years. publication of this time commenced

## at 7.15 p.m. The China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1896.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PARSED SUEZ CANALA OUTWARD BOUND :- Inchdune. Dec. 17. Ronney, 24; Oolong, Jan. 18; Keemun, Homeward Bound :- Palamed, Dec. 20; Glengyle, M. Bacquehem, Pingeney, Stralle

Goods per Bellena undelivered after The M. M. Co.'s steamer Melbourne, with stant, at midnight, and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the lat Feb. This Packet brings re- 250 a-side. plies to letters despatched from Hong-

kong on November 27, 1895 N. P. S. Co.'s s.s. Victoria, from Tacoma, has strived at Yokohama, and sailed for this port, via the usual Japan ports of call, on Saturday, the 25th

left San Francisco for this port, via Yekohama and Nagazaki, on the 11th instant. Steamers Expected. The N. G. I. s.s. Bisagno left Singapore on

Jan. 21, and may be expected here on punish them for their contumacy (says a or about the 29th January. left Singapore for this port on the 21st inst., and may be expected here on or about the 29th inst.

s.s. Kutsang, from Uslcutta and

Straits, left Singapore for this port on

-Saturday, the 25th instant, at 4 p.m.

The P. & O. s. e. Robilla left Bombay for

this port on the 23rd inst. Latest Advices. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tantakis, from Manchester and Liverpool, left Singapore yesterday afternoon, and may be expected here on or about the 2nd

TELEGRAMS from our Australian ex changes will be found on the fourth page. THE Empress of Japan has contributed

\$1000 to the Edgar Relief Fond. WE understand that Admiral Hoffman, the Kaiser, is to depart with the German mail steamer Karlsrithe, on slok leave.

scon as her repairs, are completed. Ma J. J. Ferris, the left-banded Australian bowler, who proved such a fallure for Glougestershire, has returned to Australia

and intends to settle in Sydney.

On Boxing Night, a young man dived from the top gallery of a Sydney Theatre. injured two persons in the stalls, but although damaged himself was, strange to say, not dangerously injured,

From lohang, it is reported that very little cargo is coming from the upper Yangtee except Opium. Where is the English Anti-Opium Lesgue, Prince Kung and the other Chinese officials who regret the importation of the Indian and Persian drug? Yearenday at moon, on the occasion of the

German Emperor's Birthday, a very impressive divine service was conducted by the Chaplain of the flest on board the Raiser. In the evening entertainments were given on board the Irens and the Kaiser, at which a number of civilians were present. A brilliant electric light illumination, comprising a large W. surmounted by the crown, was created at the mast-head of the Kaiser in Kowloon Dook, and the ship was nicely decorated with flowers and

Ir is reported from Singapore that the M. M. steamer Ozus, which took the last mail home, is on her last trip to the east. On her arrival at Marsoilles, ahe will be sent to the Mediterranean, where so many option of submitting the bill of damages to of the older boats of the Messageries Maritimes, which have been already withdrawn | the joint damages would be equally divided; About the end of this year another old may appeal. boat on this line, the Saghalien, will be withdrawn, and replaced by a newer

price being merely a question of age N. C. Daily News says :- The acting very level there will be very little physical British Consulat Canton, Mr B. H. Fraser, WHISKY .- All our Whisky is of excellent is an energetic man, and will do all in his quality and of greater age than most power to obtain redress for this outrage. It brands in the market. The Scoron is only a pity that the Tweed is not in comWHISHY marked E is universally mission, so that she could be sent up at once in coming through. A Chinese manufacin
popular, and is pronounced by the best to bring the likin officials at Wuchou to accompanied the survey probably to heap
local gonnolaseurs to be superior to any their bearings. If Poking as unot make the Much exclusions prevails among the parties. other brand in the Hongkong market. Provincial authorities observe the treaties, and I am now a Boresu of Railroad Inforwe must ; there is plenty of force at Hong. | mution. One elderly person waked me if kong to make out rights respected, and this they were guiting ready for a line of steems should be done at once. One Consula should be instructed to have no more parley. Of the Li family the pretisor in the way. ing with Chinese officials as if Chine ware a olvilised Power; but to state our just de; a confirm out of China for years. Will the mands olearly and enforce them promptly.

Tire latest news from lobeing is that quistneed has been restored. Missionaries wereagain going about the city unmoissted.

WE regret to hear that Dr Okotine, staff surgeon of the Russian Cagabip Imperator Nicolai I, died in the Government Civil Hospital this morning.

A Morrow has been filed at Kokohama by the plaintiffs in the Many-Leis collision case praying for an order allowing an appeal to the Supreme Court at Shanghai

THE Chinese compradore of Means Findley Richardson & Co., Ching Ye-ting (whose arrest we reported yesterday on the authority of the leading Yokohama journal), has been released from outlody.

Tax Corean police are now perambulating the streets, armed with solssors, cutting the hair of anyone with it in the old style. The political 'catch' in Corea at the present moment is : Get your hair out !

We have been requested to state that owing to the number of engagements fixed during next week Signorina Belinfante has decided to posipone her Ballad Concert previously announced for the 6th proximo. Much interest is centred in a boat race

which taken place to morrow afternoon at the FRENCH Mart of Sed January, left four o'clock between crows from the Police Singapore on Saturday, the 25th in- and the Rifle Brigade over the regatta course a mile and a half. The stakes are To-DAY all the men-of-war in the harbour have lowered their flags balf-mast out

> of respect for the late Prince Henry of Battenberg. Mesers Melchers and Co. have also shown their respect by lowering the fire over their offices half-mast, ABOUT a dozen of the higher Corean offi cials have resigned through a dread of getting their hal: out About the best way to

northern contemporary) would be to force them to take a bath. INFORMATION has been received here from Shanghai of the total loss, on the Goto Islands, of the British barque Anne Main. This vessel was commanded by Capt. Crosl, formerly in command of the Dorothy, running to this port. No particulars are to

H. I. G. M. S. Kaiser, Kong Beng, Doris, Chowis, Namos. Cosmopolitan-Rhodors, Ancons, On

VESSELS IN THE DOCKS :- At Kowloon-

hand about the casualty.

Port Arthur, to the South.

Aberdeen-China, Crown of Arragon Rumour has it that the Japaness Authorities will establish a base of Naval operations in the Pescadores, and will dispatch Rosr-Admiral Baron Tsuboi and staff, hitherto ab

THE U.S.S. Petrel has been ordered to pro-ARINSUNANCE CASE Of some interest has latecood to San Francisco vid Yokobama sa ly been decided at Scerabala. Thong Ann sued the Oosthock Co. for 1.46,000, the som for which his shop, destroyed in Nov. 1894, was insured. The Company refused to pay because Thong Ann failed to remove his property, although he had ample time. He asserted that this was the duty of the fusurers, and the arbitration went in his favour, -Suigopore Free Press,

THE Japanes Government intends to

create a new department to deal suprotally

with the effairs of the Hockside and For-

mesa. Barou Suyematsu, chief of the

Legislative Bureau, is said to be now en-

gaged in framing the proposal. Under the scheme it is understood that the Governor-General of Formore will be invested with powers similar to those of the Viceroy of India .- Rote Chronicle Noz one of the daffer mentioned the facthat the Edger, in her recent trial frip made a speed during one hour of 20.2 knots under forced draught, remarks Looker On in the Japan Gaserie. That was a fine performance, and as she ran 19.6 knots per hour during twelve hours, she is entitled to

called one of the fastest ships out here.

The Olympic is shortly going to Hobe. It

would be interesting if the could make

speed trial, so that we could learn something

the comparative speed of the two ships

when on actual service. THE judgment on the Jois-Masy collision case was focked for with considerable interest. His Honour, Judge Mowat was, says the Japon Herald not altogether satisfied ou one of the points, that of the lights of the Masy, upon which he was advised by the Assessors and has taken great pains, to properly test the light. The judgment finds both vessels to blame, the Macy in not having a proper light beroing, and the leis in having broken the rules, when she first saw the sailing ship, in going full speed shead instead of satern. The Macy has the the Registrar for assessment, in which case the Isis would have the same privilege, and or the case can be ended by each party simply paying their own costs, or either

THE Chickleng correspondent of the N.-C. Daily News writes on the 20th | Det .: - The Inster steamer on an improved model of the railway surveying party sentials the South Ernest Simons.

Gets on the 19th. The projection like substrom Scoothow near Changelow and Tan-BRANDY .- All our Brandy is guaranteed Commenting on the West River Incident, | yang. From the latter place the road will run to the west of the Grand Canal Lirrough Maine to Chindians. As this region is difficulty to laying the track. The party struck the neighbourhood where your corgentlemen in cherge knew no English but spoke excellent German. He informed us delly temple and the great ancestral temple temple give way to the fellway now or not

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INFORMATION was given to the Police on 14th September last that the said Bellong was about to clear with pagsengers in excess of the number allowed. Inspector Hapson with another coustable went to inquire into the matter, and on the following morning the Inspector boarded the Bellenes, which was lying at Mesers Jardine's wharf. When he went on board preparations were being made for departure. On the fore-batch he saw twelve Chinese passengers who had return tickets for Singapore issued by Messes Siemsen and Co. He inquired of the Ohief Officer for the Captain, and stated he had come to count the passengers. Being told Captain von Binzar was in the after part of the ship, he proceeded to the after hatch which was fastened down and ordered the officer to remove it. The constable went below, and sent up a number of Chinese whom the Inspector counted in presence of the Captain. In all there were 96. The Captain asked if he would leave an order for payment to be made by the agents; but the Inspector advised him to put them on shore as he had not sufficient life-saving appliances on board. S. Watte, W. Shewan, C. A. Tomes, F. J. for all these passengers. Seventy-seven of the Chinese had invalid tickets, or tickets which had been used on a former voyage, notice calling the meeting, which was called to Singapore, which they said had been sold them by various lodging-house keepers I the Company on the lith inst., viz. :- 'That at \$7 cach, while nineteen had no tickets. The Inspector then sent the passengers on shore, and took the 77 who had tickets to to 1890, and that Creasy Ewens, of Victhe lodging houses where they obtained them. He compelled the lodging-house keepers to return the money. The lodginghouse keepers said they had sold the tickets for the cook of the Bellong. A few that the resolution passed at the last days ago the Belloud returned to port, and to-day Captain Von Binzer was charged with attempting to leave the waters of the Colony on the 15th September with 96 persons in excess of the number allowed by his port clearance. He denied the charge, but after the evidence had been led he was fined \$200, with \$2 for each of the 96 passengers -in all \$392.

THE Colonel Rhodes who has been arrested proximo. This is a great mistake, and I at Johannesburg is said to have been private secretary to Sir Archibald Anson, when he was acting Governor of the Straits.

Fire broke out on the steamer Sakata Mary on the 11th, causing damage to the cargo to the extent of \$60,000. The Sakata Mars arrived back in Kobe on the 13th body, more especially the musical portion

A SENSATIONAL nugget, from the Devon Consols mine, is now being exhibited at Coolgardie. It is mostly pure gold, and weighs three hundred and three ounces ten dwts. It is the largest nugget unearthed in Western Australia up to date.

IT is reported in native official circles that owing to the Japanese government disiming jurisdiction over Chinese in Japan the ex-Vicercy Li has inserted a clause in the new Commercial Treaty, now being discussed at Paking, giving a corresponding privilege to Uning so far as Japanese are concerned. The Jepanese Minister refuses to consent negotiations are as a standstill, -N.-C. Daily News.

THE Nanking correspondent of the N.-C. Daily News writes :- One thousand horses arrived bere a few days ago from the north to supply an order of Chang Chih-tung who City Hall last Monday was a musical success, wishes to organise a troop of pavalry. Rev ports with regard to his going still conflict, Obiness New Year will find him gone, it is barely possible he may manage to hold the

teration in their rates of interest. On fired rate will be one per cent, on the daily balautes-except when the accrued interest Singopore Bres Press.

Tas remains of the man found at Wanchai Wap on Bunday were conveyed to the Gothe suiform which were clinging to the skeleton were identified as those of Private Barton of the Rifle Brigade who has been missing since last Jane. The poor fellow. who is believed to have been insane, bad wandered from the Peak Sanatarium, but w it is not known how he mee his death. An inquiry will be held,

WE regret to hear that a couple of fatal casualties occurred on board the U.S.S. lulu. Heavy weather was met with, doring which several of the boats were smashed Mr Cooper, the carpenter, was dashed on the deak and freetured his skull, while Mr Jessen, the captain of the foregastle, was extent. - Rising Sun.

and Tientsin (says the N.-C. Daily News, in which the Twotait has held office. Li the difference in the world, and that, to a Ping heng, the Gazernov to Sheatung, has good singer already, dues all the good peanow completed his report; as a full part of it is generally believed that he will meet with short.

Last Monday the Philharmonius startshrift and small favour.

Hast your eye on Jupan (ears the dan Francisco Chreniole). The importation to report on. Suffice it to say there was on late that country of clocks and watches is exceptionally good attendance, and I trust Bestrage and bus galessrood albicar factories will be able, at se savie date, (q sincerely it will be the same every Monday, supply the cottre demand, and the same is The Committee have bucked up wonderfully with an opposing forward behind him. to be said of glass and hardware and hata this season, and it behoves avery member of their surplus of manufactures, and with to now regularly attend the practices and their cheep labor and versatility and guarantee a good Recital, especially after Edaptability, what is the American working. the poor show made last year. The sonman to du if he comes into direct comparition with the Japanese ! It may seem ductor (Mr Geo. P. Lammer! informed the a foolish prediction, but the Orient may yet mambers present that there would be no force a protective terif upon Great Britain.

Barross, Golists, Managines, Autobarns, obcristers as the Committee had made ar-Violine, also Strings and Strings for sale at rangements to sorrail it. A very plausible. As to the match with the Contra the W. Bobinson and Co.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE CENA MAD."] London, January 26, 1896. THE REPORTED RUSSO-TURKISH

TREATY. The conclusion of a Treaty between Rusila and Turkey is denied.

THE ITALIANS IN ABYSSINIA. The Italians have evacuated Makaleh with arms and munitions. King Menelik is treating for peace.

THE POLITICAL HORIZON.

Mr Chamberlain, speaking a Birmingham, said that there were signs of the political storm shating, and that Germany's | to judge by the rehearsals promises to be unexpected and upprovoked hostility was passing away.

HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

An extraordinary general meeting of this Company was held in its Registered Office, No. 9. Praya Central to-day. Mr R. Shewan presided. The others present were :--Mesers W. H. Potts, G. H. Potts, S. S. Benjamin, A. G. Stokes, Paul Jordan, J

Mr W. A. Daff, the secretary, read for the confirmation of the following resolution passed at the extraordinary meeting of the Hongkong Brick and Cement Company Ltd., be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of the Companies Ordinances 1865 toria, in the Colony of Hongkong, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the

purposes of such winding up. The Chairman said-Gentlemen, you have beard the object of this meeting, which is to pass the resolution just read, and I propose extraordinary meeting be confirmed.

Mr B. S. Benjamin seconded. Unanimously agreed to. The Chairman-That is all the business, gentlemen. I thank you for your attend-

MUSICAL NOTES. I see by your Saturday evening's issue that Signorina Belinfante purposes giving another Concert on Thursday, the 6th am afraid she has been ill-advised, for thore are so many things on at present-(I have even been informed that there is 'Smoker' on board the Victor Emanuel fixed for that evening) -- that nearly everyof the community, is overwhelmed with rehearsal and other engagements. I feel convinced the result will be a poor audience. I can guarantee this statement, and even if it may appear a harsh one I am quite sure the Signorina will forgive me. I can only repeat I am surprised that her impresarios have not better advised her.

Our Toutonio friends (always to the fore in matters musical) have engaged the Signorina to sing at their Club next Friday, when she will discourse nothing but German Classical to this clause, in consequence of which the music. I have not seen the programme yet, but it is mure to be a good one, and no doubt the recipients of invitations must consider themselves lucky.

Taking it all round her Concert at the

although I must admit I was a little disand while it seems most likely that the appointed with the Diva. There was no doubt she had a big task before her (this appears to be the favourite theme in all of her newspaper criticisms), but that should learn from the same paper that 'men can't THE Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, and In no way deteriorate her singing. the Chartered Bank, advertise a slight ale In fact, it would be as well for all deposits one half per cent, less is to be critics to remember that that sort of paid in future; on ourrent accounts the I thing is no excuse at all, and I trust never to see it again in print in Hongkong. For for aix months does not amount to \$5 .- a professional, it is nothing to sing a difficuit leading part in a good opera all the way through. In fact I was told by one of the started yesterday. Even then the Club leadings tapors of the day that after all his had to play three Riflemen as forwards veryment Mortuary last night, and from training he could sing his long part and impress Machell from the spectators' ( Faust, in Gonnod's Faust) without being line for goal. The ground was in the worst a little bit tired when the last act was con- possible state, being sloppy on the top but cluded. It must, therefore, amuse Signo- hard as stone beneath. Both goals had ring Belinfante when she reads that seven been used for practice, the Bowrington items in the programme was no mean task | and being very miry. B Company led off for a performer however robust. I know well, and the soratch forward line of the it is a difficult Theatre to sing in, and prob- Club failed completely. A foul some ten ably she was a stranger to the acoustics, but yards from the Club's goal gave B Com-Baltimore between Yokohams and Hone- she certainly, to-me, did not appear to be pany a free kick. This was sent into the at home in it. I do not know whether I net and ruled a goal, though exactly why is and the whoel and binnacle carried away. am sufficiently competent to criticise, but not a clear as it was not a penalty kick and there were two or three things with which failed to touch even the goalkeeper who I was disappointed, notably the noticeable jumped clear. B Company still kept washed overboard and lost. Several others changes in the registers and the forced well up, and put in some fast shooting at of the crew were injured to a greater or less lower notes. These points, no doubt, will not come out so markedly in the St. An- to combine, or kicked up to the opposing THE impending impeachment of Shang drew's Hall. I have nothing to write about Teotal, who is still in Shanghei, is attract- re the Amsteurs that helped, for all the even. Then Hancock arrived and the ing much notice in native circles in Peking criticisms that appeared did everybody This step has been so often threatened that justice, and besides that our most promimost foreigners are hope to protectly sceptical nent amateurs are too well known now.

The delay, which sew introdes, has been entirely descripted miners in westigations new acquisition (Mr Ernest Mirow, who possend to the last large necessarily consumed in sesses a good pure Tenor voice) to open his collecting words from the estern provinces mouth a fittle more. It would make all

> Last Monday the Philharmonics storted their first rehearmi of Scientert's Song of Miriam (vocal). It is, of course, too early fear of the Orphestra out humbering the

The Masonic Smoker, which was a great success, has already been reported upon fully, so may be relegated to the past. Still I mention it, as I understand that there have been several requests to continue them, and have them bi-fortnightly (if I may coin such a word) or monthly. think this a great mistake and trust the demand for more should be tabuoed. It is all very well feeling like Oliver Twist, when things turn out successes, but surely Hongkong cannot still be hungry for Smokers. And yet we are having a surfeit of them as

Gilbert and Sullivan's Trial by Jury (first performance down for Saturday, 8th prox.) a great success. The small Orchestra is foing wonders and is. I hear, to be angmented by a few men from the Centurion band. I am very pleased to hear this, for there are practically no brasses or bass reeds among it our smatours, and as every one knows these are the foundation instruments in every orchestra.

I clip the following extracts from the

that of 'Cavalleria Rusticana.' Gemma Bellingioni sang the part of Matilde and Signer Stague that of Silpano. There was a full house and the compuser, who conducted the performance, was called before the footlights many times.

Parma. -The remains of Paganini have lately been exhumed at the Communal Cemetery in this town, for the purpose of stated that the features of the great violinist are still remarkably well preserved.

From the rame source, I read that on the 21st ultimo at a Philharmonic Concert given at the Queen's Hall under the conductor ship of hir Alex. Mackenzie, Purcell's Ode to St. Cecilia (first performed in 1692) was down for the second half of the programme. The criticism runs, "Madame Amy Sherwin sung the trying solo "Thou tun'st the world," and Miss Florence Power rendered the chief alto solo music, in a most praiseworthy manner, particularly the exacting and remarkable number entitled "Tis nature's voice." Other soloists were Miss Marion Blinkthorn, Mr Iver McKay, Mr Arthur Oswald, and Mr Watkin Mills. Miss Amy Sherwin all your readers will remember was with us about six years ago. Miss Florence Power is the goungest sister, I understand, of two of the best baritones we have had, now unfortunately absent from Hongkong.

Here are some very funny remarks on Paderewski. They are all from American papers which are never supposed to be funny, ch ? :- Re his 'Polish' Fantasia. One writer describes it as 'a wild bizarre production, glowing in colour and astonishing effects, which dely analysis without recourse to the score. Apparently he did not have recourse to the score. I read, further htat the Fantasia is intensely Polish. The Mazurka, Cracovience, and Dumka are in evidence.' An impression prevails in some quarters that the Dumka is Bohemian, not Polish.

Long hair or short hair,' exclaims the New York Herald, 'Paderewski is the hero of the hour. The same paper remarks the evening.

The Recorder is an example of hysteria. He let locse here, says that journal, 'a volume of fire and fury and daring impetuosity, and dazsled and bewitched the audience by a play with Liszu's deviliab decloes, such as -, &c.

In the Press we have a word-picture o the great planist bowing his chrysanthemum head to bis stiff way until it seemed as if it must enap off. The artist is not described, soberly ; as repeating a piece at the wish of his audience. The Press chooses to remark: "So he breathed again on the dead strings and again they pulsated with thrilling life, which is very pretty. I feel, but women must weep! when they hear Paderewski, which is an ingenious application of Charles Kingsley.

FOOTBALL. RONGRONG F. C. V. B COMPANY, R.B. It was fully 5 o'clock when the game close range. Davies worked the ball away again and again, but the aubstitutes failed bicks, and corners were frequent. Two Club-men now appeared and the game grew Club spurted, finally putting on a goal in good style. The startlingly smart runs of Campbell and Firth on the right wing took B Company by surprise, and the next ten minutes was devoted to careful defensive play. Oliver, who had already played back, half-back, and forward, seemed to the see a new least of energy, and half problems the ball forward with such interest that only the perfect kicking of B. Company s. pany's forwards kept more in touch with the backs and brought the ball forward instead of waiting for it, a better to game would have resulted. A policy of persistently keeping two and often force men far up towards the opponents' goal is not conducive to combined play. Towards the end of the game Mechell was lost in a bunch of red and white the moment the all tume near gold and twice kicked out From the kick-off at half-time the Club

omntioued to lote the game. Wood and Maltland put in some effective kicking With better bondition the former is the Dlub's best back. His kloking is swift shid effective (much like Kaskiel's best form), and when well taken, at on this cocation, by Davies and Shelford, is invaluable. B Company still kept its wing players for up, and occasionally put in a shot, but though the wind favored thum no cooling restilted. Cash forward to New Adoptat .. Club's backs tronded their enetodian

tactics which with a less wary makesper would have been disastrous. Twice in the | was then read by the Secretary. now wake up grandly, and gave their out- of healing. The financial statement also as at present constituted, is equal in num- pondent indeed right when he confesses side right openings which earlier in the shows that the hospital is well supported. game would have put them well shead. Dr E. C. Machle was associated with Dr German instructors do not exceed thirty-five. Germany has gladly seized this opportunity Twice they came near scoring, but the Kerr seven months dating from March, and The towns to which the recruits belong are to humiliate England? The Post says: ground, which was now a quagmire, did very efficient work during the time he in the provinces of Klangen and Anhui only, It is evident that the Emperor considers raudered their attempts ineffectual, though | was connected with the hospital. last ten minutes of the game. A hot | hospital as Surgeon in joint charge. low shot was played out by Machell and There have been 28 members of the of Fengyang, Ch'uchou, Taiping, Szechon, recall of the Mediterranean squadron to inadvectently knocked in again by a Club medical class, of whom 7 were women. and Hochou in Anhui have been enlisted, join the Channel squadron. The Standard player. So inevitable did the result appear | Regular instruction has been continued dur to the exclusion of natives from such pre- similarly, gives Germany to understand that the growd reared 'goal.' 'No fear.' ing the year. shouted the custodism, as by a swift jump | Dr Wan has continued the revision of the Kiangan, and Luchon in Aghui. A despatch | between herself and the Transvasl. and thrust he closed the ball away and work on Theory and Practice. The great from the Vicercy, after stating that the The Daily News, on the contrary, says: measured his longth in the mud, victorious advance made in this department makes it condition of China requires radical changes, There is nothing hostile in the Emperor's certainly, but plantered from head to heel. necessary to bring this important text book goes on to say that one of the principal words. They are a warning which is sorely who slightly accelerated the disaster. Not required to complete it. your fault, said the mud-bespettered one. and played on in better form than ever. to year, and special provision will have to thirty-five German-officers have been engag. with the internal affairs of the Transvasl." The Club pressed again and again only to be made before many years for increased ed. This corps will be the nucleus of an lose ground from a kick out by B Company, facilities for instruction in the several army which is intended to comprise 10,000 and having to concede a free-kick through branches of this department. incorrectly throwing in. These free-kicks The College Ward has been repainted and of the despatch memorialised the Throne on London this week by the serious foreign were invariably well taken, and favored by some neccessary repairs done. All the the subject and a decree was insued authoris- complications growing out of the Transval Leghorn, Signor Mascagnia opera 'Sil- the wind were difficult to judge or stop, buildings are now in comparatively good ing the movement. It has therefore been invasion and the Venezuelan dispute, assistvano, rovided and in part re-written by its By 6 o'clock the light grew bad, and in the condition, but some additional painting will decided to organise, at once, infantry, caval- ed by the warm, wet, foggy weather, and composer, has just been produced here and last five minutes B Company came up be required to preserve the wood work.

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The last five minutes B Company came up be required to preserve the wood work. has mot a far more favourable reception well. Oliver, abiquitous as ever, checked The last annual meeting authorized the foot is to consist of 250 men divided into metropolis. The stand taken by President all attacks, and Campbell. The libretto, which is the work of Signor sway, put in two close shots. Time found Word. This has not been done, but 180 men divided into four troops; the ary dispute, the excitement which followed Targioni Tozzetti, is a kind of pendant to the Club leading by 2 goals to 1, after per- the committee recommends the continua- artillery will consist of 200 men, and the the appointment of the United States haps the pleasantest game of the season, tion of the appropriation for this purpose, engineers 100 men to each battalion. Only Boundary Commission, and the evidence not a dispute or objections charge occurring with a sum additional to finish a new well-formed, healthy, and strong youths formished in Europe of the isolation of throughout. B Company was short of at operating room and two rooms suited for from the farmer class, between the ages Great Britain and the trouble in the Transleast one sterling player, and the Club foreign patients. would do better if a reliably regular team . We recommend the following appropria- by the culitting officers, and the recruits Britisher to curb his words and actions and could be got together. The forward game | tions for the work of the current year. of the Club was the best they have put on this season. Campbell and Firth were in For Current expenses of Hospital ...... 2200 ter must be demanded from the neighbours, by has been the Treasury report, which capital form. Hancock quite altered the removal to a more prominent site. It is aspect of the gome by his arrival. Shelford, always thoroughly reliable, played gamely and well, and had Davies and he played together throughout (left wing), instead of in the last half only; the Club might have led by more than 2 to 1.

> MINUTES OF THE FIFTY-SEVENTS ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MEDICAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY IN CHINA.

The fifty-seventh annual meeting of this Society was held in Canton at the house of Messra Shawan & Co., on the 24th January,

There were present, - Dr J.G. Kerr, M.D., LL.D. in the chair; G. D. Fearon, Eaq. C. Seymour, Esq., U.S. Consul; Revs. H. V. Noyes, D.D.; R. H. Graves, D.D.; E. Z. Simmons, C. Bone, W. Bridie, A. A. Fulton, A. Beattie, H. J. Stevens, C. A. Nelson, Mary W. Niles, M.D. ; Ruth C. Bliss, M. D. Dre Wan Tun Mo, So To Mang, Dr J. M. Swan, Rev. C. and Mrs Swan, Rev. J. Kollocker, H. R. Wells, Rav. W. H. and Mrs Lingle, Dr S. L. Halverson, De R. Bigler, Revs. Rolb, MoBarney, J. J. Bogge, E. P. Fisher, G. W. Marshall and E. W.

. The notice calling the meeting was read. The President then called on Ray. Dr Graves to open the meeting with prayer, Mr Thwing was appointed Secretary in absence of Dr Machle.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were then presented, in the printed report. that there were 'hysterical deshes' during then presented, and the following Abstract

> occurred, the work of the hospital and of the dispensaries has been continued during the year without interruption. The attendance of out-patients as well as

of in-patients compares favorably with former years, the medical place has been doing Theory and Practice has been continued by

· The following abstract gives an epitome and carried. of the work in the hospital and dis-Denanties;

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\$4,460.44 Current expenses of hospital Appropriation paid dispensaries.

The Report of the Managing Committee ! game B Company were foiled by a swift | Your Committee beg leave to report that kick out from the very toes of their for- another wear of uninterrupted and successwards. Slade effectually checked the Com- ful work has been completed. The attend be known as to the actual strength of this dicks proceeds to argue that Germany has no pany's left wing, and splendid runs by the same of patients in the hospital and the pracforce, the humber of German efficers en ground to contend that any doubt exists as
Club's right and left wings alternately at tice in families by the lady physicians, show gaged to organize and drill the men, and its to England's right to suzerainty over the length put on another goal. B Company an increasing confidence in Western methods object. As a matter of fact, the 'Army,' Transval, and asks: 'Is our Berlin corres-

it also made the goalkeeper's task no light Dr Swan returned from America in Octo- Only natives of the prefectures of Hauchou, pared for. We cannot hide from ourselves one. An amusing incident marked the ber and soon after resumed work in the Husian, Haishou, and South Tungehou in that England stands alone. The proper

Sorry, said a polite B Company forward, up to the times. Another year will be reforms is the organisation of a properly- needed in some quarters that the encour-

Estimates for 1895.

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., Lien Chow hospital and dispensaries ,. Honam Dispensary, Dr Bugler ... Shin Hing Dispensary , Wai Chau Dispensary Water tanks (iron) Dr Hager .....

The report was corrected and adopted and the appropriations for the year approved. Rev. C. Bone then presented the following

Resolved.I. That hereafter the members of the Managing Committee of the Medical Missionary Society, Canton, be the senior male physician in charge, two missionaries of whom one shall be American and one European, but peither connected with the hospital staff, and two other gentlemen chosen from the foreign community. This committee shall be elected annually, II. That this Committee meet at the

hospital on the first Monday in January and the first Monday of each succeeding April July & Oct. months. III. That this Committee be empowered to appoint one of the physicians of the hospital

to keep the books of the current local income and expenditure.

approved. tou to take his place. Mr Fearon's sugges. Watson, Prince Krapothine, William Mortion was approved, and a vote, of thanks ris, and a number of representatives of Captured about 500 prisoners. extended to him for his kindness in the fore go Socialists, made specches. The

MOARD OF OFFICERS. Officers for the current year were elected M follows ---

President : J. G. Kerr, M.D., LL D. ners, M.A., LLD. H.M.B. Consul; Dr Kuapper Consul for | view of his length of service. Germany i G. D. Fearon, Esq. J. F. Wales, M.D.; Hop. J. J. Keswick; Rubert In Europe-Rev. Prof. J. Legge, D.D.,

LL D., and Theo. Sampson, E.q. In U.S. -T. B. Conningham, Esq. Treasurer - E. A. Stanton. Secretary-E. W. Thwing.

Auditor-The Commissioner of Customs. Managing Committee-J. G. Kert, Esq., M.D., Rev. E. J. Simmons, Rev. C. Bone, Fries A. Brockelmann, Esq.; James Wal-

A vote of thanks was also extended to Dr J. F. Wales, Dr Mary Fulton, for and on sundry donations, and to Oi Yuk Tong. A special vote of thanks was passed to Hon. C. Seymour for subscriptions from the Chinese officials.

There being no further business the meetng adjourned. J. G. KERR, Chairman. E. W. THWING, Secretary.

It was moved and carried that the

Pianoforta Manufacturers.

THE December out put of gold from Pahang is satisfactory, Punjom has turned out duts., and Rand, say the third part of appoint a committee to consider the pro- I tical men. 2d. week. 6. Victoria Ap-The following is Abstract of the Centon 623 or. 18 dwis. This is a total for the month of about 1 810 condes, or about £6,118. The Seleusing staff seems to be bear, got from 765 tone quarte, cthirwise rather better than 16 det, atons, Raub 1.593.44 being about 10 det. stone all round. Me Divoy arrives this afternoon to the a.s. 700.00 Sappho with over £7,000 worth of gold, being the product of the last quarterly \$5,409.64 Raub arush for 1895 -Singapore Free

> 700.00 Owing to increase of Busiders, W. Robin-245.10 | son and Go, have tempyed their Pinno and Organ showered to Connaught House-\$0,400.64 large dicok-low prices

CHANG CHIE-TUNG'S ARMY. about the new German-drilled army of the the Foreign and Naval Secretaries imparts Viceray Chang at Nanking, little appears to | to if the importance of a State Act. The arbers only to a small-sized Brigade and its that he is driven to the conclusion that and here egain a discrimination is made, war with England something to be prethis province (Kiangau), and the prefectures reply to the Emperor's telegram is the feetures as Soochow and Sungkiang, in that England will brook no in terference disciplined army. To this end it is intended agement of filibusters is playing with edged The Medical Class is calarging from year to form a corps, for the instruction of which tools. England has no right to interfere men. On the 19th of July, 1894, the writer and gainty seems to have been driven out of getting well addition of a second story to the North three companies; a squadron of cavalry of Claveland regarding the Venezuelan bound. of sixteen and twenty, are to be chosen vasi caused even the most jingo-minded are not to be selected from those who have | reflect seriously upon the possibilities of the learned a trade. Certificates of good charact future. Great Britain's only comfort late. 2000 responsible relatives, and notables of the estimates that the surplus at the end of the 400 village or town to which the intending recruit | 6 nancial year in March will exceed 300 belongs before he can be secepted, and in £5,000,000. Claims for reduction of taxes 1000 | these it must be stated that the youth has have been pouring in from all quarters, but 100 never been guilty of orime or punished by it is learned on very good authority that the 100 the law. Each recruit is to engage to remain first purpose to which the overflowing ro-100 in the corps ten years, and he shall not be venue will be a great increase in the 150 sllowed to resign on his own responsibility strength of the British navy. As one news-

00 parents of the recruit, and then only within must be spent on any other purpose. certain limits. The pay will be five dellars a month; the cap, boots, and uniform \$6,700 (in season) for each recruit to be furnished, sd concerning the most important questions free of charge, by the government. Te agitating the Foreign and Colonial offices, men best suited in the opinion of the foreign and the number of despatch boxes sent her drill instructors shall be chosen for the has been doubled. These boxes are sent by various arms of the service. Each battalion | the various departments of the Government shall be commanded by a German officer as I to Buckingham Palace, and from there Colonel and a native Lieutenant Colonel, forwarded by special messengers to Osborne and each company by a German Captain House, Isla of Wight, where Her Majesty with a native second Captain. The native has been spending her New Year holidays. Moore are to be graduates of the Military Academies who are to be examined as to qualifications before being given their commissions. The strength of the force is to consist at present of eight companies of infantry, two squadrons of cavalry, one battery of artillery, and one company of engineers, or 2,680 men in all .- N. C.

NEWS BY THE CANADIAN MAIL.

Daily News.

STEPNIAR'S JUNERAL. London, Dec. 26.—There was a big ga thering to-day at Chiawick, of Russian and Polish exiles, as well as of English sympa-IV. That at each meeting a brief statement | thisers with the deceased, the occasion beof the income and expenditure of the pre- ing the funeral of Sergius Stepniak, the ceding three months be presented to the celebrated Russian Nihilist, who was killed The Annual Report of the Hospital was Committee; and also application made to while crossing a railroad track on Monday has been knighted. He is Sir S. C. Lewis, then presented, and the following Abstract meet the estimated expenditure for the last. The exiles and others accompanied who was born at Sierra Leone, admitted to the body from Stepniak's house at Chiewick V. That any one of the physicians shall to the Waterloo Railway Station, where it Justice of Sierra Leone in 1892. have the privilege of presenting to the Ma. | was placed on board a train for Woking, naging Committee for its consideration and at which place it will be cremated. Mr approval any matter connected with the John Burns, the English Labor Leader, work of the Hospital, ambject to the do- marshalled the procession from the house claim of the Medical Missionary Society. | at Chiswlek to the railway station at that, On motion the resolutions were taken place. The procession included Mme. Stepgood work, and the revision of the work on up seriation and dispussed. And after nisk, Vera & soulitch, Prince Krapotkine, various amendments were passed, the Volhoffsky, Mr. Spencer Watson and Mr. Resolutions as a whole were then moved Kier Hardie, and a delegation ir m the Socialist Pederation, headed by a brass band, The Treasurer's report was presented and | met the body at the Waterloo Railroad Station. Those who took part in the de-The Canton Hospital account was also monstration of respect to the deceased, accepted and approved. A letter from Mr gathered around a large cantre lamp outside Bearon was received, resigning the office of the railway station and surrounded by red Tressurer, and suggesting Mr E. A. Sten. and black banners Volhoffsky, Spencer

> body was then placed upon the train for conveyance to Woking Cemetery. THE DUES OF CAMBRIDGE, London, Dec. 28.—Perliament will be asked, when it reassembles, to vote a the vicinity of Krugersdorf. The next Senior Vice-President : Rev. John Chai- special pension of £1,000 yearly to the morning he attacked the Boers, who were Dake of Cambridge, the late Commanders entrenched in a strong position. The Board Vice-Presidents: Rev. R. H. Graves, in Chief of the forces. As Colonel of the numbered 1,500. Dr Jameson was repulsed, M.D., D.D.; Hon. Chast Seymotir, U.S. Grenadier Guards, the Duke Grave £2,200, but tried to move by Randfostein to Roods-Consul; Byron Brenan, Haq., O.M.G., which is held to be an inadequate sum, in

> THE STRATHNEVIA. Vancouver, Jan. 1 .- On the reception of Shewan, Esq.; Thomas Jackson, Esq.; Rev. the Strathneris' arrival in port, the captain of his men were hearly starved, many of B. C. Henry, D.D.; A. P. Happer, Esq., and officers of the Empress of India sent a them having been without food for three congratulatory telegram to the captain and days. Their horses were exhausted, and officers of the unfortunate vessel, and last they were forced to surrender. Dr Jameson night the following reply was received from lost 80 men killed, besides the wounded. Tacoma where she now is : Grateful thanks It is estimated that the total loss will reach for congratulations, and wishing you the compliments of the season. Captain and four killed and a few wounded. It is claim-

> MR JUSTICE CREASE ENIGHTED. Victoria, Jan. 2 .- A despatch received from Lord Aberdeen to-day, says the Queen has been pleased to approve of the bestowal of knighthood upon Mr Justice Crease, upon his retirement from the Supreme various cocasions; to L. M. Customs for | Court Bench. Mr Justice Crasse is the only surviving judge in Canada appointed Bay, Of course, it may have been torn off THE CANADIAN-ATLANTIC LINE AND

THE PACIFIC CABLE. Ottawa, Jan. 2.—In his speech from the Managing Committee with the Secretary Throne, Lord Abordeen said :- I am happy nouncement by the Imperial authorities of perished. their willingness to grant a substantial aubcention towards the Atlantic portion of W. Robinson and Co. are Special Agents the scheme. This will, I trust, ensure the contract—High class work—W. Robinson or all the leading English and Continental successful establishment of a line of steamers between the United Kingdom and Canada, which in point of speed and equipment, shall fully meet all requirements. My Government have also learned \$5,510.93 438 oz. 15 data, belensing 552 oz. 13 with a tisfaction that it is the intention of the Secretary of State for the Colonies to Dractical Engineer. Practical sixtless for carps

THE MAISER AND THE CRAMEVAL. best in quality as the 552 ounces was, we has subgraphed President Kruger as follows: I express my slocers congratulations that, with your own people, and without appealing for the help of friendly powers you have succeeded by your own spergetie astion excinet the ermed bunds which laveded your country as disturbers of the peace, and have thus been eligible to restore peace and selegard the independence of your country against stacks from outside. (Signed) Williams.

THE RESIDER PROM DE MARE WILLIAM. Conden Jun &-Tee Times says ! The Embator, e quebates in Brate ung giegnaffa

unfriendly, and, being compiled after con-Although a good deal has been written | ference with Chancellor Von Huhenlohe and

ENGLAND'S PRESENT POSITION. London, Jan. 4. - Nearly all the sparkle 50 por shall he be permitted to mak for leave paper puts it, 'It is for the Admiralty to 60 of absence on trivial pretences; leave. decide how much money it wants, and on-50 being only granted when it concerns the til they are astisfied, not a penny of surplus

QUEEN VICTORIA KEFT POSTED, Queen Victoria has been kept fully inform. NEW YEAR'S HONORS.

The New Year's honor list contained two surprises, Sir Frederick Leighton, Bart., President of the Royal Academy, being elevated to the peerage, and Mr Aifred Austin to be Poet Laurente of England. Both are well received. The elevation of Mr Henry Hucks Gibbs, director of the Bank of England and President of the British Bi-metallic Association, to the peerage, has long been expected. He was for many years proprietor of the St James Gazette, two of his sons are members of Parliament, one having married a nices of the Marquis of Salisbury. Science is recognieed by the knighthood of Prof. Joseph Prestwich, the celebrated Oxford geologist, but this honor is somewhat belated as he is 94 years of age. The list is also remarkable. as for the first time a pure blooded negro who was born at Sierra Leone, admitted to the bar here in 1871 and became Chief

THE THANSVALL, London, Jan. 4 .- Another despatch from Sir Hercules Robinson to Mr Chernberlain reads: Dewitt wires that Jameson's wounded number thirty. They are all at Krugersdorf, attended by doctors. Names and details of wallinded cannot yet be given. The number of killed is estimated at 70, but no reliable information is obtainable. The bodies are being ploked up on the battlefield and buried.

Uape Town papers state that Dr Jameson, Sir Chas. Willoughby, and Uapt, White, bruther of Lord Annaly, are lodged in Pretoria jail. Grey and Capt. Coventry of Bechusnaland Police and brother of the Earl of Coventry, are wounded. The Boors The Colonial Office has just received the

following telegram sent by Ron Sir Wala ter Francis Haly Hutchinson to Mr Chamberlain ; Press accounts state that on the evening of Dec. 21st, Dr Jameson arrived in port and was stopped at Dorinkop, On the afternoon of January 2nd, heavy fighting took place. The State extillery came up 240. The loss of the Boers is reported as ed that 15 Boers were unborsed by one volley fixed by Dr Jameson's men. No officers were killed.

THE STRATEREVIS AND THE MICWERA Vancouver, Jan. 5. -A despatch was received from Port Townsend yesterday morning that a life buoy, bearing the name of the Miorrera, has been picked up in Neah when the Strothneris' hawsers parted, but, nevertheless, it has increased the fears for the Miowera.

News from the same source says a bost prepare the constitution and bylaws of the to inform you that the representations of McDonald and two of the crew tried to reach my Government, and the auggestions of the the shore to telegraph for assistance, has been Ottawa Conference, respecting steamship found on the rooks near Cape Flattery, communication, have resulted in the an- McDonald and the crew undoubtedly

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COLDFIELDS, OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA: Pertle, Dec. 27 .- A return ferwarded to the Premier from Mr. John Wilson, Mayor | been made for the match between J. Stanof Kalgoorlie, given the output of the Great bury, of New South Wales, and C. R. Boulder from the 10th April to the 3rd Dec. Harding; of England, for the championthis year as 3831 tone of stone, yielding ship of the world and £500 spide, to be 24,171oz., or an average of 61oz. to the ton. The Lake View output from the 15th Nov., 1804, to the 28th November this year, was 3311 tons, yielding 9919oz., giving an average of 3oz, to the ton.

CHARGE AGAINST A GERMAN BARON. London, Dec. 29 .- Baron Hammerstein ex-leader of the Conservative party in Germany, has been arrested at Athena on a a week work will be resumed with noncharge of forgery and fraud,

GERMAN BAST AFRICA. London, Dec. 31 .- Major von Wiseman, who was recently appointed Governor of German East Africa, is about to retire owing to quarrels with his officers.

THE VENEZUELAN DOUNDARY COMMISSION. appointed the following members of the com- with the Armenian question. He says mission to deline the boundary of Venezuela that Armenia calls for vengoance. Lord and British Guiana :-- Chief Justice Alvey. Saliabury's non-success in dealing with the of the district of Columbia, Maryland; Mr problem was due doubtless to unknown White, Republican; Mr Coudert, a Tam- obstacles, and would perhaps result in a many Democrat; Dr. Daniel Cuit Gilman, European war. president of the John Hopkins University, Baltimore; and Mr David J. Brewer, one of bankrupt, and hints at the possibility of a the Judges of the Supreme Court, Washing- Rueso-Turkish treaty.

ENGLAND AND VENEZUELA. fortifying the Harbour of Maracaibo, situat. starving, and are suffering greatly from the NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE ed at the head of an inlet of the Carribean lack of proper clothing. Sen. Several members of the Venezuelan Chamber of Deputies have left Caracas, the capital of the republic, with the view of tion, under a Portuguese leader named arranging a South American alliance against. Cabral, has soized the district of Amapa, in Great Britain.

THE THANSYAAL. London, Dec. 27 .- The Government of tifying the country they have seized. President Krüger, head of the Transvani; Republic, is quietly making preparations for! any possible outbreak. It has imported a number of Maxim guas, and has expended honours issued to-day includes the follow-£250,000 upon the forts of Pretoria and ing :-

Johannesberg. report that the Queen had ordered him to ton Division of Surrey; and Mr C. B. resign the directorship of the British South Stuart-Wortley (Conservative), M.P. for Africa Company.

the purpose of considering an imperative Vincent (Conservative), M.P. for the Cenletter from Mr. Chamberlain domanding that tral Division of Sheffield, to be a Knight the Company shall repudiate the action of Bachelor. Dr. Jameson, the Company's Administrator in Mashonaland. The chairman of the Company The Hon, Philip Oakley Fysh, Treasurer has proceeded to Berlin to request the of Victoria, to be a Companion of the enlistment of German military officers for Order (C.M.G.). the Boer army. He has also been instructed to place orders for a supply of machine guns. Gibbs, senior partner of the firm of Autony day from South Africa state that Dr Juneson street, and formerly M.P. for the City of will be tried by court-martial. The officers | London, has been created a peer. will be released. The Royal Highlanders, 42ad Foot (the Black Watch), stationed in South Africa, have been ordered to Mafek-

of the Transvael, and to shoot any who may make the attempt. London, Jan. 9 .- It is reported that the Germans had made every preparation for which will have the effect of adding imlanding a force in Delagon Bay to march to mensely to the strength of the British fleat the assistance of the Boers in the event of within the shortest possible time. the latter being defeated in their recent encounter with the force under Dr Jameson. THE 'STATIST'S' PRIZE OF 1000 GUINEAS. London, December 28 .- The proprietors of the Statist have received 78 essays in the competition for the prize of 1000 guineas

ing, on the Bechnana frontier. They have

January 2 .- The total number of essays sent in for the prize of 1000 gainess offered | by the proprietors of the Status for the best | Empire. scheme of an Imperial Customs Union is

THE CANADIAN GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND THE DEFENCES.

London, January 2. - In his speech at the opening of the Dominion Parliament at Ottawa, the Earl of Aberdeen, the Governor-General, refets to the necessity for making better provision for arming the militia and for strengthening the defences. REPUBLIC OF COLOMBIA.

London, Dec. 81 .- The Spanish Minister in the Republic of Colombia, South America, has been expelled by the Government from Bogota, the capital, for having protested against the treatment of Mr Jenner, the British Minister and Consul-General, who was accused of baving an interest in a claim made by a London firm of contractors against the Colombian authorities. COLLIERY EXPLOSION IN PRUSSIA.

London, Dec. 31 .- A terrible explosion has occurred in a colliery at Urangel, Prussie. Fifty miners were either killed or in-

GROUNDING OF A CUNARD LINKE, Zondon, Jan. 2.-The Canard liner. Cephalonia, went aground during a densa for off Holyhead. The passengers were landed in safety. The vessel got off again and has reached Holyhead. Her bull is seriously injured. LIEUTENANT-COLONEL HOLDOEOW.

London, Jan. 2:- Lieutenent-Colonel Holborow, the officer commanding the 3rd Infantry Regiment, New South Wales, has been made a Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George (O.M.G.) ABHANTER TO BE ANNEXED.

London, Jan. 2 .- Colonel Sir F. Scott, the commandant of the British expedition to Coomassis, has informed a local chief that the British Government intends to annex Ashantee.

MASONIO CASE. London, Jan. 8. - In the Masonic case of Podmore v. Bugler, a commission appointed by the English Grand Lodge is examining Mr Philbrick on behalf of the claim of the Cambrian Lodge of New South Wales.

MRS PARNELL DECLARED INSANE. London, Jan 2. - Mrs Delia Stewart Parnell, mother of the late Mr Charles Stewart Parnell, the famous Irish National leader, has been declared to be insane, and has been placed in a hospital for the insane at New York.

THE CUBIN INSURRECTION. London, Dec. 30.-General Martinez Campos, the Spanish Commander in Cuba, has been accorded a great ovation in Havannah, the capital, by 50,000 inhabitants.

PROTECTION IN AMERICA. London, Dec. 29 .- The Foreign Committee of the United States House of Representatives has reported in favour of Mr. Bayard, United States Minister in London, in reference to the charges against him based on his recent speech in Edinburgh, in which he criticised the protective policy of the United States, The House adopted the report.

NEW YORK SUICIDS CLUB. London, Dac. 30 .- Another member Di the New York Suicide Club; the discovery of the existence of which recently cansed sensation in that city, has committed sufpide. This makes the eighth member who has taken his life.

DEATH OF AN ACTRESS. London, Dec. 31. -The death is announceed of Mrs Sterling, the actress. The late Mrs Storling was famous in the old Haymarket days under Bucketone. She was stee favourably known for her impersons.

tion of the Nurse, which she played to Mary Anderson's Julist, and she also appeared in Henry Irving's revivale. THE COULTING CHAMPIONSHIP.

London, Dec. 31 .- Arrangements have rowed over the Thames championship course on the 18th July. SHIPHUILDING STRIKE AT BELFAST-AN

ULTIMATUM. London, Dec. 29 .- The shipbuilding omployers at Belfast have issued an ultimatum to the men on strike to the effect that onless Lord James's award be accepted within union men. It is reported that there are 3000 free labourers ready to fill the vacant positions, ....

TURKEY AND ARMENIA. London, Dec. 30 .- The revenues of the Turkish Customs have fallen 50 per-cent. Lord Rosebery has, on behalf of the London, Jan. 2. -President Oleveland has Liberal party, issued a manifesto dealing

The Standard declares that Turkey is

The Turkish soldiers at Damascus are dying from disease and exposure at the rate | 1421 London, Dec. 31 .- The Venezuelane are of 100 daily. The mon are said to be almost FRANCE AND BRAZIL.

London, Dec. 31 .- A filibustering expedi-Brazil, claimed by the French as belonging to French Guiana. The filibraters are for-NEW YEAR HONOURS - COLONIAL

RECIPIENTS. London, Jan. 1 .- The list of New Year

Privy Councillors. -Sir Richard Temple, Jan. 2. -The Doke of Fife denies the Bart. (Conservative), M.P. for the Kingsthe Hallam Division of Shemeld, to be Jan. 3.—The British South Africa Com- members of her Majesty's Privy Council. pany held a meeting in London yesterday for Knight Bachelor. - Colonel C. E. Howard

Order of St. Michael and St. George,was authorised to cable to Dr. Jameson of Tasmania, to be a Knight Commander distenting from his invasion of the Transvant. (K.U.M.G.); Mr. William Valentine Ro--An Agent for the Transvaal Government | binson, clerk of the Legislative Assembly

Private telegrams received in London to- Gibbs and Sons, merchants, Bishopsgate-THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

London, Jan. 13 .- Work is being carried on night and day at the British dockyards. A rumour is allost that Russia is reizing been instructed to stop any further invasion the occasion, and is basily scheming with the object of forcing Great Britain to evacuate Egypt.

Action is being taken by the Government THE QUEEN THANKS ME CHAMBERLAIN.

London, Jan. 14 .- The Queen has written to Mr Chamberlain, thanking him for bis judicious action during recent developments. LORD SALISBURY'S REPLY TO AUSTRALIA. London, Jan. 16. - The Marquis of Saoffered by that journal for the best scheme lisbury has replied to the cable from of an Imperial Customs Upion. Several of Australia, stating that the frankly expressed the essays sont in are from the Australian approval and good-will of the colonists is mination to maintain the rights of the bour and mainland of China.

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